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## Win a Prize.

Many Opportunities are Offered Students to Distinguish Themselves.

In last week's Texan there was an article on "The Oratorical Outlook," which, in a brief way, stated the prizes offered in public speaking. As there are quite a number of other prizes offered in the various fields of University work, it was thought well to give in concise form an official statement of all the prizes offered, the names of their donors, and the purposes for which offered. Below is the account:

In public speaking there are the following:

For the best extempore speaker, a prize of \$25 is offered by Messrs. Gregory & Batts of this city.

For the four best debaters in the University who shall win places on the intercollegiate debating teams, a prize of \$100, to be divided equally among them is offered by Hon. H. P. Skinner of Waxahachie.

For the three best orations on prescribed subjects concerning the various phases of municipal government, Major Ira H. Evans of this city offers a prize of \$100 to be divided as follows: \$50 to the best declaimer among the students who have less than ten full courses to their credit.

Closely connected with the preceding are the following prizes offered in the fields of Political Science and Law:

Any member of the Senior law class who writes the best thesis on some law subject approved by the Law Faculty, will be presented with either the American and English Encyclopaedia of Law or the American and English Encyclopaedia of Pleading and Practice. This donation is offered by the Edward Thompson Company of New York.

Messrs. Trezant and Cochran of Dallas offer the following prizes for an essay on some subject connected with fire insurance: \$80 for the best, \$50 for the second best, and three \$20 prizes to the next three best. These prizes are open to all students who have a designated class standing in the University.

For the best essay on some topic connected with good government, Hon. W. J. Bryan offers a prize of \$25.

The Hermannsoehne offers this year three scholarships of \$50 each awarded to students of general good standing, for excellence in German, as shown in a competitive examination held in December. For eligibility see Dr. Primer, who is chairman of award.

An honorary fellowship of \$150 is offered by Major Ira H. Evans to that member of the Senior class in good standing who has taken at least three courses in Physics, and will continue his work in the University another year as an applicant for an M. A. or M. S. in the subject of Physics.

## SCALPED!

### Haskell Indians Defeat the Varsity for the Fourth Time, Score 17 to 0.

Again the Indians have invaded the camping grounds of the Long Horns and returned to their wigwams victorious. Seventeen to nothing tells the story briefly. From the first to the last call of the whistle the Texans played a hard, plucky game. Outweighed by nearly ten pounds to the man, Texas was on the defensive during nearly the whole of the game.

Texas put up a hard game, but the line could not stop the terrific onslaughts of the Redskins, and in this way the Indians made most of their gains. They hammered the tackles repeatedly for short decisive advances. Here they showed the effects of the long period of training while on the other hand Texas was handicapped by the shortness of hers. The Indians played as one man, both on the offense and defense.

Twelve of the Indians' seventeen points were the result of this hard straight football, while five were due to a piece of unluck for good luck. The Indians fumbled the ball, but regained it after the Texas' ends and backs had been drawn in, and so had a clear field for a touch-down. Very few end-runs were indulged in by either team and on account of the weight and strength of the Indians' line, Texas could not carry the ball over the goal line. She was forced to kick several times while her opponents rarely failed to make the required distance. So sure were the Indians that they could score by touch-downs that not once did they try for a field-goal.

The playing of the Texas backs was magnificent and but for the weakness of the line Texas would surely have scored, but they were frequently thrown back for losses by the Indians, who broke through. "Mogul" played his usual game and did some very creditable punting. Hendrickson, McMahon, Parrish, with Mogul, were the strength of the Varsity team. For the Redskins the Howser boys, Gokey and Conger were the stars.

#### The Game in Detail.

Texas wins the toss and chooses the south goal with a strong wind in her favor. McMahon kicks off for Texas to Haskell's 3 yard line. Haskell fumbles the ball but recovers it on her 5 yard line. Two line bucks net only a yard and a half for Haskell, but on next play Hauser at right half bucks through tackle for 2 1-2 yards and first down. A dash around the end gains 4 yards and a line buck 3 more. Haskell smashes Texas' line for 12 yards. Gokey carrying the ball

and Conger goes through right tackle for 2 yards. By a series of fierce line bucks the Indian backs advanced the ball to the center of the field, where Gokey fumbles and McMahon, for Texas, falls on the ball. McMahon makes 21-2 yards through left tackle, "Robby" following with 4 more on the other side, and the Indians are penalized 5 yards for off-side play. Texas is playing a fine game. Hendrickson makes 8 yards around left end, but an Indian is off-side again, the ball is brought back and Haskell penalized 5 yards. Ramsdell loses 1 yard on attempted end run. "Robby" is thrown for 5 yard loss. Texas' line seems weak. Indians are again penalized 5 yards for off-side work. On the third down with 2 yards to gain McMahon is sent through right tackle, but is thrown for a 1 yard loss. Gokey makes 3 yards through center and P. Hauser gets 8 yards through left tackle, and is tackled a moment later on an attempted end run for no gain. Haskell makes 2 yards on line buck. P. Hauser barely makes first down through left tackle. Hauser gains a yard around left end. Conger is sent around right end, is tackled, loses the ball; P. Hauser secures it and runs 45 yards for the first touch-down, outstripping half the Texas team in his race for the goal. This touch-down is made after twelve minutes of play. P. Hauser misses goal. Score: Haskell, 5; Texas, 0.

Texas kicks off to Haskell, who returns with a beautiful kick, 60 or 65 yards (carried by the wind) to Wilkerson on Texas' 1 yard line. McMahon drops back for a kick, sending the ball 30 yards into the wind. Haskell returns it 15 yards and on next play fumbles but recovers the ball. Conger is sent into right tackle for 1 yards gain; Gokey smashes the line for 31-2 yards, and first down. Conger makes first down through right tackle. P. Hauser smashes left tackle for 2 yards. The ball is now on Texas' 10 yard line. In three more vicious bucks P. Hauser is carried over the line for the second touch-down after twenty minutes of play. P. Hauser kicks goal. Score: Haskell, 11; Texas 0.

McMahon for Texas kicks the ball out of bounds on the Indians' 15 yard line. On a second trial he kicks to Haskell's 5 yard line. Gokey returns the ball 22 yards. On a fake cross buck the ball is carried out of bounds

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## THE FRESHMAN RECEPTION

Definite Arrangements are Being Made for an Elaborate Affair.

The Freshmen met Saturday with President Mike Hogg in the chair, to discuss and arrange for their annual reception.

After the vote was unanimously passed that they should have the reception, the place of the social stunt came up for discussion. Many stood strongly for the Driskill Hotel, some favored Jacoby's garden, though the long-headed ones cast their ballot for the Woman's Building, where the reception will take place. Then the date came up for its share of oratorical honors, the first Friday in November was decided upon, and a committee appointed to see that date did not get away.

After several secret ballots, the colors chosen were pea-green and white, though much wrangling arose as to the particular shade of white and green.

According to the time honored custom, a motion was made and passed, giving the president authority to appoint the following reception committee: Arrangement, Finance, Reception, Invitation and Floor.

Much enthusiasm was manifest, and the reception will undoubtedly be an affair long to be remembered.

## TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF CIVIL ENGINEERS.

The Texas Association of Civil Engineers held its third annual meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Engineering Building. This association was organized three years ago for the purpose of bringing together the engineers of the state, and affording them an opportunity for the exchange of ideas and methods, and the discussion of engineering matters of interest. The previous meetings were held in Waco and Houston, and next year the association will again meet in Waco.

The morning was spent by the visitors in inspecting the steam, hydraulic and masonry laboratories, and in witnessing some very interesting brick tests.

In the afternoon was held a business session, during which were discussed the comparative worth of paving materials, city water supplies and their cost of operations, and other matters of general interest.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: T. U. Taylor, president; J. D. Rullman, vice president; E. C. H. Bantell, secretary treasurer.

Tulane University is the first institution in the South to attempt a daily publication, the former weekly "Olive and Blue" is to be made a daily and it will be replaced by another weekly.



## FORTY MEMBERS.

The Glee Club Now Well Under Way.  
Prospects of a Trip.

With forty members and applications for membership coming in every week, this year's Glee Club enjoys the reputation of a record-breaker. More than twenty old men are back, which includes the quartette of last season. Among the new men some very nice voices have been found, so with the aid of the old men, it is hoped the club will be better than ever before in quality, as well as in quantity.

Quite a great deal of interest is shown and places for the quartette and trip are going to be hotly contested. Members of the quartette will have to hustle to hold their places. The attendance for the last few rehearsals has been splendid, considering how busy things have been.

Every one is urged to be prompt since three unexcused absences in a term disqualify a member for the trip or to appear in any concert with the club. Also any member not present at the last rehearsal before the appearance of the club is disqualified to sing on that occasion.

The Glee Club has been asked to sing on the night of November 23 for the Woman's Federation of Clubs in the Auditorium. The invitation was placed before the club Monday evening and met with high approval. Judging from such invitations, and the cordial way in which the club has been invited to return this year to each town visited on its last trip, the prospects for a successful tour is indeed bright. The trip this year will come off in the winter or spring term. Experience has shown that that is the best time, both to leave the University and to have a prosperous trip.

Everyone who can sing at all is invited to join the Glee Club. There are no fees or dues or expenses of any kind. If the trip is a failure, there is no personal "dig up" attached to it. Rehearsals are held twice a week, on Monday and Friday, from five to six in the Auditorium.

Everybody who has been examined come this evening.

## GRACE HALL.

The following young ladies are domiciled at Grace Hall for the coming year: Misses Hermoine May, San Antonio; Estelle Porter, Louise Fant, Weatherford; Claudia Brahm, El Paso; Bessie Newsome, Llano; Mary Lambdin, Waco; Mary Stephens, Weatherford; Lucile Pendleton, Pearl Hall, Temple; Essie Portr, Kaufman; Hattie Parks, Brenham; Janie Abernathy, McKinney; Eloise Cockrell, Abilene; Dollie Herring, Yelton, Okla.; Nina Bromberg, Mineola; Shirliereed Streeter, Louise Gayle, Waco; Elizabeth Doggett, McKinney; Bennie Campbell, San Antonio; Anna Newsome, Marlin; Maud Hancock, Alpine; Lela Knox, Galveston; Rachel Baer, Florence Rahe, Carrie Pfeiffer, Helen Seligman, San Antonio; Pearl Gans, Annie Bob Brown, Longview; Mary Kaiser, Bryan; Eloise Munsan, Denison; Camille LaBatt, Fort Worth; Augusta Neilson, Galveston.

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## RUSTICUSSES REORGANIZE.

The Ancient and Honorable Order of Rusticusses held the first meeting of this year in their barnyard last Thursday night. Of last year's membership of twenty-four fourteen have returned and fourteen pairs of hands whittled busily while fourteen tongues told of the condition of crops in their respective communities. The rubes seem to have had a very prosperous season and several are exhibiting valuable purchases made in "the city" during the summer. Reuben Ney is the proud possessor of a large gold brick he bought very cheap from a traveler who passed through Squeedunk, which is well known as the birthplace of Rube Ney. R. Rube Smith has eaten so much hog and hominy while at home in Punkin Center that he has increased his height six inches (and incidentally his "reach" four inches.)

Rube Charlton, who has been taking the "deestrick skule census" at Chiddum Switch reports that with the exception of the loss of his corn crop by chinch bugs, the demolition of his cotton crop by "them pesky boll weevils," the death of his hogs from cholera, and the disappearance of his hens and watermelons owing to a too close proximity of colored neighbors, he has had a prosperous year, "by cricky."

The Rusticusses mourn the death of Mr. Hugh Payne, who was elected last year to the office of Landlord, and after resolutions of respect to his memory had been framed the Rubes proceeded to elect a successor and other officers to fill vacancies. Rube Odom was unanimously elected to succeed the late Mr. Payne. Rube Charlton was elected to the office of "Plow-Shaker" and Rube Stockard to the office of "Hen-Setter." Rube Toombs was chosen as correspondent to the local weekly. The membership of the Rusticusses will be increased to the full number and the coming year promises to be a most prosperous one for this lively organization.

## THE ASHBEL.

The Ashbel Literary Society held its first regular meeting of the year, and enstalled the following officers for the present session: Miss Lel Waggener, president; Miss Hoy Perfect, secretary; Miss Carrie Pfeiffer, treasurer, and Misses Harris and Campbell, wardens.

Last year there was an unusually large predominance of Seniors in the society and the consequence is that now the ranks are somewhat thinned and the number limited. In fact, this first meeting was one in which reminiscences rather than prophecies occupied the members' thoughts.

But the Ashbel "goes on forever," as the initiation of the following five new members will show:

Miss Carrie Pfeiffer.  
Miss Mary McCormick.  
Miss Annie Stratton.  
Miss Lena Greer.  
Miss Sally Belle Weller.

With these additions, the friends of the Ashbel feel sure that the session of 1905-06 will add another to their long list of successful years.

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with no gain. "Robby" stops an end run in its tracks and Haskell has 5 yards to make on the third down. A fake kick nets 7 yards and first down for Haskell, Hendrickson downing the runner by a terrific tackle. There are four and one-half minutes to play. Gokey smashes center for 2 yards. "Robby" and Hendrickson are doing good defensive work. An end run nets half a yard for Haskell. Householder replaces McMahon at full back. Haskell's half back tries center for no gain. Haskell loses the ball on downs, and the ball goes over to Texas on Haskell's 50 yard line. For Texas Duncan is sent around right end with no gain. Hendrickson makes 41-2 yards around left end, and Householder bucks center for 2 more. On half back kick "Robby" boots the ball out of bounds on Haskell's 18 yard line. On next play Hauser, Haskell's right half, on an attempted end run is downed for 8 yards, loss on a beautiful tackle by Parrish. The half ended with the ball on Haskell's ten yard line.

## Second Half.

Indians kick off to Hendrickson, who returns the ball 22 yards by a spectacular run. Hendrickson tries left end for no gain, and left tackle with same result. "Robby" kicks 20 yards. Indians gain 21-2 yards by line buck. Francis goes in in Wilkerson's place at quarter. Gokey smashes center for first down. Right end gets 4 yards around left end. Gokey again gets first down through left guard, and Hauser gets 21-2 more through left tackle. Indians are accused of playing dirty ball. Three line bucks nets the Indians barely first down. Householder's defensive work is fine. Dulaney is replaced by Parrish at guard and Hamilton takes Parrish's place at center. P. Hauser makes first down for the braves through left tackle, and another line buck brings 2 yards. A fake cross buck is stopped by Texas with no gain. On a free fumble in the next play the Indians get first down. Gokey gets left guard for 8 yards. The playing on both sides is terrific, but the Indian backs can not be stopped and they drag Conger over for the third touchdown after eight and one-half minutes of play. P. Hauser again kicks goal. Score, Haskell, 17; Texas, 0.

Crane goes in at right half and Hastings at full. Householder replaces Orgain at tackle. Crane for Texas kicks to Haskell's 5 yard line, and the Indians return 20 yards. Haskell's ball on her 25 yard line. Conger tries center, no gain. Householder drops the runner in his tracks. Gokey gains 1-2 yard through center. P. Hauser kicks out of bounds on Haskell's 50 yard line. Texas' ball. First down no gains. Francis is down before he can pass the ball. "Robby" makes 21-2 yards through the line, then kicks 40 yards and downs his man on the 12 yard line. P. Hauser tries left end for Haskell with no gain. Conger makes 21-2 yards through right tackle, third down and 3 yards to gain. Gokey cuts off 3 yards and first down through left guard, and repeats the performance in the next play for 2 yards. P. Hauser gets 2 yards over left tackle, and a line buck nets first down. Gokey gets 1 yard through left guard and P. Hauser

hurdles the line for another yard. Conger makes it first down through center. The ball is now in Haskell's possession on her 30 yard line. End run is thrown back by Texas for a 10 yard loss, and a line buck gets nothing. Haskell kicks 35 yards. Francis falls on the ball. On first down Texas fumbles, but recovers the ball with no gain. Texas' line is weak. "Robby" fails to gain through tackle, and a moment later kicks 35 yards, again nailing the runner himself on Haskell's 10 yard line. Time is up with the ball in the Indians' possession.

The line-up was as follows:

Texas.	Positions.	Haskell.
Parrish	C.	Felix
Weinart	R. G.	Keeler
Orgain	R. T.	Aiker
Ramsdell	R. E.	Bradley
Mainland	L. G.	McLean
Ramsdell	L. T.	E. Howser
Duncan	L. E.	Shoulderblade
Wilkerson	G.	Moore (c)
Robinson (c)	L. H.	Conger
Hendrickson	R. H.	P. Howser
McMahon	F.	Gokey

Referee—Hill, Umpire—Watson. Timer—Prendergast. Linesman—Grover Jones. Time of Halves—25 and 20 minutes.

## A LETTER TO A TEXAS FRESHMAN.

"You Freshmen who have been paddled at Brek Hall every night since you came think that you are having a hard time, but you are not. The Freshmen of the University of Wisconsin were entertained last week and wish to show the Freshmen of Texas what an easy time they have.

"In spite of the fact that the annual class rush was just 48 hours away, a crowd of Wisconsin sophs. got busy last Thursday night, captured about a dozen Freshmen and compelled them to do some very entertaining stunts on the porch of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority house. One of the Freshmen proved ungentelemanly and stubborn, refusing to show off before the ladies. However, he was attended to in short order as the Sophomores threw him into Lake Mendota and left him there.

"The crowd then marched to 438 Lake Street and demanded that three Freshmen, rooming there, surrender themselves, rescue or no rescue. On the Freshman refusing, ladders were placed at the windows and an attacking party forced an entrance. A fierce battle with canes and chairs followed, but a storming party of Sophomores swept up the stairs, and overpowered two Freshmen, Bassett and Jergan of Milwaukee, who were dragged out of the windows and also thrown into the lake.

"In the meantime, another band of Sophomores had captured other Freshmen who were treated to cold baths also. The victorious Sophs. then paraded about the city with torches, giving class yells and daring the Freshmen to put in an appearance. It is needless to state that the Freshmen stayed within doors. Yours truly,

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### THE INDIAN GAME.

The game Friday with the Indians was probably the hardest that Texas will have to play this season. The Red Men reached Austin a day or so early in perfect condition, came out on the field with a dogged determination to win—for they said themselves that they banked more heavily upon this match than upon almost any other—and carried the 'Varsity team down before them with the score of 17-0, in one of the strongest and sharpest struggles ever seen on Clark field. Taken as individuals, the Indians were not on to the game any better than our men, but they knew how to stick together better, and make every bit of their strength count. This splendid team work is probably the keynote of their victory, and this is the one weakness of our men at present. The visitors' coach, Boyd Hall, umpired the game, since the management was unable to procure the man agreed upon; however, he proved a clear, just official, and gave our team a square deal.

The Indians gave old Texas a drubbing, but our team was dead game and died hard. No other team on the schedule will be a proposition like the Haskell.

### THE BAYLOR GAME.

Baylor comes down tomorrow from Waco to meet us on the gridiron. Baylor has a well trained eleven, Coach Webb having had charge of it for nearly a month now. They have played two games already, and so are hardened and in good condition. It is of course true, that they lost both games—the first to T. C. U. with a score of 16-0, and the other to Trinity last Friday with the score of 23-0; however, they will give old Texas another surprise party like T. C. U. did.

One question was heard everywhere at the Haskell game—why don't the fellows root? They were all at the game that day, but the proper spirit was somewhere else. It is up to us all to back our men, and we must do it all the time, so come out tomorrow and cheer the eleven on against the Baylor boys, and do not fail to bring your megaphones.

Leland Stranford University will this year have a course in jiu-jitsu as part of its gymnasium work. Two Japanese students are to be instructors.

### FRATERNITY INITIATIONS.

As stated last week, the heat of the rushing season is over for the fraternities, and their attention now is devoted to the matter of initiations. The following have already treated their pledges to a strenuous goat-ride:

Beta Theta Pi, Thursday Oct 5.  
Sigma Nu, Friday, October 6.  
Phi Delta Theta, Monday, October 9.  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Friday, October 13.

Sigma Chi, Monday, October 16.  
Kappa Alpha, Tuesday, October 17.  
Phi Gamma Delta, Tuesday, October 17.  
There are several recent pledges, as follows.

Delta Tau Delta—Robt. B. McBride, Denton; Clyde Faught, Oklahoma City; Chas. Conrad, Amarillo; L. C. McReynolds, Denton, Texas.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Lloyd Lockridge, Austin.

Beta Theta Pi.—Ralph Robinson, Austin.

### JUNIORS ELECT OFFICERS.

Saturday the Junior class met in Room 44 for the purpose of electing officers. The meeting was called to order by Ex-President Miles. After the election of officers the question of class hat-bands was discussed. It was decided to adopt a band in the colors of the class. Messrs. Montgomery and Miles were selected as a committee to order the bands. Here the meeting was adjourned. The officers elected were as follows: Hugh Lathrop, president; Miss Grace Nash, vice president; Miss Barham, secretary; S. I. Edwards, treasurer; L. F. Russ, sergeant-at-arms; Paul Montgomery, Cactus representative.

### CLASS OF '05 NOTICE.

In order to keep a proper record of the members of the class, it is necessary to hear from each member at least once a year. Will each member of the class of '05 kindly drop me a card telling me where he is located and what he is doing? The record will be kept up to date, and information of importance to members of the class will be given through The Texan. Respectfully,

D. A. FRANK (Life Secretary),  
The Telephone Building, Dallas, Texas.

Prof. Thos. K. Urdahl, professor Economics and History at Colorado College (Colorado Springs), writes inquiring whether it will not be possible to arrange an intercollegiate debate between Texas and Colorado College. This institution has excellent standing in the west and has debated several years with Kansas, Nebraska and Utah, and won her share of victories.

The matter is worth considering, and will be presented to the Literary Societies.

The Library has just received ten copies of Munro and Sellery's "Mediaeval Civilization," a gift of the 1904-5 class in History 2. This is a useful addition to the facilities for work in this course, and the deed should be an example to this year's class, and all those of the future.

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## SOCIETY.

On Friday night the town girls of the Pi Beta Phi fraternity gave an informal dance to some of their freshmen friends. The affair was very much enjoyed by Misses Gould, Garrison, Bessie Garrison, Lottie Harris, Martin, Estill, Evans, Robertson, Nell Harris, March, Weller, Thornton, Pegram, Stevens, Le Batt, Pendleton, Hall, Parless, Wooldridge, West, Gibbs, Ruggles, Myrick, Lanham, Dunham, Messrs. King, Townes, Lathrop, Cobbs, Stone, Hogg, Potter, H. Key, Stayton, S. Key, McEvoy, Burgher, Bickler, Barclay, Shryock, Leachman, Robertson, Milam, Gould, Hill, Isaacs, Lanham, Morrison, Moore, Polk, Blocker.

The following announcement has been received by Prof. H. D. Gray's old friends:

Miss Laura Virginia Tarr  
announces the marriage of her sister  
Emma Hough  
to  
Mr. Henry David Gray  
Wednesday, October the eleventh  
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The Chi Omegas were at home to their friends Wednesday afternoon from four till seven, the delightful reception being given in honor of their transfer, Miss Abernathy.

Miss Lenora Mummel has gone home on account of sickness. She may return later.

## THE GERMAN CLUB

Reorganizes for the Coming Session.

The University German Club has held its first meeting and reorganized with prospects that are rainbow hued. The custom of weekly germans will be continued from last year. The following officers were installed:

Edgar L. Gilcreest, president.  
Joel F. Watson, vice president.  
John La Prelle, secretary treasurer.

There are many new members, and the new recruits more than fill the ranks of the club.

## ACADEMICS MEET.

Members of the Academic Department met Monday afternoon to elect representatives in the Students' Council. L. P. Parrish was elected temporary chairman. The following were selected from the different classes as members of the Student's Council: Post-grads, J. F. Johnson; Seniors, Clifton Gray; Juniors, Murray Jones; Sophomores, Ellory Jones; Freshmen, R. F. Dickson.

## Lost.

A Pi Beta Phi pine, set with pearls. Finder will please return to some member of the Sorority or leave with Mrs. Kirby.

A small jeweled Beta Theta Pi fraternity pin. Finder will please return to Tom Cobbs or Registrar.

Don't forget your sweetheart. Christmas is coming. Buy now. Bankrupt sale.

The students are all invited to call and see the Elliotts.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

George Burkitt, LL. B. '04, has been visiting in Austin for several days.

George Price came down from Palestine to see the Indian game.

Max. Wall, who is traveling for the American Tobacco Co., saw the Haskell game.

M. C. Haldeman, representing Burr-Patterson, fraternity jewelers of Detroit, Michigan, spent last week at the University.

It has been learned that the King of Korea hopes to be here with his entire retinue about Thanksgiving time. He says that he will take in the A. and M. game.

O. C. Bullinger, Law '05, was in the corridors shaking hands with his many friends Tuesday.

B. H. Mock of Greenville, Law '02, made the Law Department a short visit the early part of the week.

D. M. Prendergast of Waco, ex-law student, came down for the Haskell game Friday, and stayed over through the Sigma Alpha Epsilon initiation.

Mr. O. W. Finley, Junior Engineer, has withdrawn from the University to accept a profitable and responsible position on the Santa Fe. He expects to re-enter next session to complete his course.

Editor Buckley of the Cactus, as recently elected, is rapidly improving in health and his many friends hope to have him back in the corridors very soon. Mr. Buckley's fever has entirely left him, and it merely remains for him to regain his strength.

Mr. R. J. Edwards, ex. '07, of Denton was in the city visiting old friends this week. Mr. Edwards is in the journalistic business in his home town.

Mr. Garnet Roberts has re-entered the University after a year's absence.

Don't miss the Baylor game tomorrow, make arrangements to be there.

L. W. Baskett and his brother, George Baskett, are at Ann Arbor, Mich., this year taking the medical course.

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## ALUMNI NOTES.

Dr. G. M. Decherd, M. D. '05, was recently married to Miss Pansy Green of Granger. They are making Austin their home, and Dr. Decherd is gaining here the recognition he certainly deserves, as a practicing physician.

Mr. W. D. P. Warren, E. C. '05, is now resident engineer for the Central Illinois Construction Company of Bloomington, Illinois. Mr. Sam Moss, also C. E. '05, is associated with him as chief draftsman of the same concern.

L. R. Geissler, B. Lit. '05, has resigned his position in the Palestine High School, and gone North to Cornell University, where he has accepted a scholarship in the Sage School of Philosophy.

Mr. Percy C. Burney, C. E. '05, is installing an electric light plant at Alpine, Texas. From all accounts, Burney is making a great success.

George Womack, Law '05, is practicing law at McGregor, Texas.

Mr. J. A. Hill, B. A. '02 is now principal of Jefferson Academy of Moody, Texas. In 1903, Mr. Hill was married to Miss Ola Temple.

Mr. Sterling Fulmore, B. A. of Austin, is now in Honolulu, where he has been holding a responsible position for some time.

## LOCALS.

The circus Monday was a challenge to the socially inclined students. Many "circus parties" were formed and greatly enjoyed.

The Elliotts request that you come early and avoid the rush on account of extending class rates to all students of the University.

The skeleton of a bird about the size of a pigeon has been artistically mounted and suspended by a wire in the bulletin space of the Law Department; the queer specimen is the nearest likeness of the beloved "Perry" yet discovered and owes its prominence to that fact.

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The men of the Senior class of the University of Minnesota are considering the adoption of a distinguishing costume. It is proposed that they wear corduroy trousers and hats and blue shirts.

The Dramatic Club of the University of Minnesota will present Cricket on the Hearth and Nance Oldfield.

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Sewanee's football team will average about 162 pounds this season.

## AMONG THE LAWYERS.

The following is the list of officers for the fall term, as they have been recently elected by the different classes in the Law Department:

**Senior Class:** H. P. Burney, president; T. D. Campbell, vice president; W. B. Browder, secretary; J. C. Browder, treasurer; Giles Avriett, sergeant-at-arms. Student representatives to the association, T. Carswell and W. P. Brady.

**Middle Class:** J. V. Patterson, president; Bill Francis, vice president; John L. Shepherd, secretary; Otto Taube, treasurer; J. P. Simpson, Sergeant-at-arms. Student representatives to association, Alex Pope, and W. G. Shaw.

**Junior Class:** J. B. Marshall, president; F. M. Ryburn, vice president; W. F. Duncan, secretary; Hugh Stone, treasurer; L. G. Zinnecker and W. L. Davidson, sergeant-at-arms. Student representative, W. S. Davidson.

The Senior law class is politically inclined, judging from the recent class election, in which the candidates for presidency of the class ran neck and neck.

There is a rumor afloat that a woman will invade the Law Department on or about the first of January. Whether she will be the standard bearer for "Peny" has not yet been determined.

The carpet has not been put down in the Law Library yet. It would certainly prove of great benefit, in the way of producing a more quiet room in which to read.

## At Missouri Freshmen Have Decided to Wear Caps.

A uniform cap for the all-freshmen class has been decided upon. The cap is to be a dark blue serge Varsity cap with the buttons of colors corresponding with department colors: Medics, green; Law, purple; Engineers, gold; Academic, black, and Agriculture, white. All freshmen will appear in the uniform cap in a few days and all upper classmen who would like to pose as freshmen are warned not to appear wearing one of these caps.

## Library to Be Open on Sunday in Future.

An announcement is made by Librarian Rowell that hereafter the Library of University of California will be open on Sundays from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. This will enable all students whose courses keep them from reference to the library during the week, to use the Library books which are necessary for their studies on Sunday.

The same stunt might facilitate matters here in Texas.

Reports from Harvard indicate a decrease in the registration in the so-called "snap-courses," thus justifying the belief of the faculty that an almost purely elective course is feasible under proper conditions. There has been also a marked falling off in the number of men who are taking history courses, while the English courses have more men applying than can be handled by the present English faculty.

The Dramatic Society of the University of California will give Paola and Francesca this year.

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by red-haired men or women.

Minnesota's "red owl" league will wel-  
come a branch of the "incandescent Club"  
with open arms. The "red owl" league  
meets in a hall where there are no  
chairs.

### University of Nevada Rules.

The senior and junior classes decided  
at a meeting held last week that no  
under classman or prep could wear cor-  
duroy trousers, and a notice to that  
effect has been posted on the different  
bulletin boards. In order not to incon-  
venience those who had purchased that  
regalia the upper classmen have pur-  
chased all corduroys belonging to under  
classmen. No one except seniors will  
be permitted to wear sombreros. The  
rule regarding corduroys was not in  
force last year.

"Old South Middle," the oldest build-  
ing on Yale's campus, and which has  
a history of over 150 years, has been re-  
built by the efforts of the alumni, and  
named Connecticut Hall. The original  
building, which was erected about 1750,  
was paid for from a grant of money con-  
tributed by the State of Connecticut,  
the proceeds of the sale of a State "war  
frigate" and a captured French ship, and  
when this was found insufficient the re-  
mainder was defrayed by a public lot-  
tery held by the college authorities.

The buildings of the University of  
California were threatened by a grass  
fire, which blackened the hills miles  
back of the campus, President Wheeler  
called on the students for volunteers  
to aid in fighting the fire. Hundreds of  
the students fought the fire for more  
than four hours. The town of Berkeley,  
the fire department, the president of the  
University and individual property  
holders thanked the students publicly for  
their efforts.

Three members of Columbia's sopho-  
more class, who broke the rules regard-  
ing hazing, which were last year adopt-  
ed by the student body, were suspended  
from the University for a year. The  
"Spectator" thinks the punishment too  
severe.

A series of evening "sings" has been  
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Cook: "I reckon so, when they never  
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 ing a bread wagon whistle, grabbed a  
 letter, which he had written to his be-  
 loved one of parts unknown, rushed down  
 the stairs and took in after the wagon,  
 thinking it to be the postman. When  
 he discovered his mistake he wanted  
 to thrash the driver because he refused  
 to post the letter. He then posted his  
 letter in a private mail box. Neither  
 the letter nor the girl has been heard  
 from since. U. KNOWHO.

Prof. Simonds (Lecturing in Geology  
 I.)—"Such was the case when Pompeii  
 was destroyed by an eruption of Vesu-  
 vius in A. D. 79."

Haskell. (To his neighbor)—"Did he  
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